Spare the Flowers.

Tis well, young girls, your rosy hours To pass in frolic gay: But, heedful, spare the tender flowers That blossom in your way.

Oh, crush them not! but love them well, And list to what they say; A warning tale to you they tell, Of sad and swift decay!

For you, like these fair fragile flowers, But blossom for a day: Like theirs are brief your sunny hours, Like them you pass away!

When sorrows come, and friends retire, And early dreams depart, And hopes are fled, you'll then desire To press them to your heart,

And they shall wake your dreams again,

To bless your closing hours, When none of all you loved remain, But these sweet sister flowers.

[Correspondence of the American Telegrap

GENTLEMEN: The 19th of October, the sev-

entieth anniversary of that great and final bat-

people should be proud to do honor.

The news of the detachment of Samuel T.

Hartt, Naval Constructor at the Gosport yard,

the yard, and the people generally, with feelings of regret. Mr. Hartt was deservedly pop-

able and gentlemanly manners, and his high attainments in his profession. Complimentary letters have passed between him and the Heads of the several Departments, and also from the

The polls closed here at sundown, and I am

only able to forward you the following returns. Portsmouth gives for Congress: Millson, (D.)

The vote on the amended Constitution is

nearly unanimous, both in the city of Norfolk and in Portsmouth. Yours, &c. NADEL.

[Communicated.]

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

munications in the " Union," recommendatory

of the claims of several gentlemen for the po-

sition of Clerk of the next House of Repre-

sentatives, permit me to name a gentleman for

that office who is really more entitled to the

honor than any one individual in the Democratic

ranks-I allude to Col. JOHN W. FORNEY, the

talented and accomplished editor of the " Penn-

sylvanian," of Philadelphia. If any single in-

dividual is justly entitled to office from the

Democratic party, that individual is Col. For-

ney. The gratitude and thanks of the Democ-

racy are due to him for the late signal victory

active exertions must be mainly attributed that

result-a result which has placed the old "Key-

stone" where she should be, among the topmost of the pillars of Democracy. It will be recol-lected that Col. Forney was the prominent can-

didate for the same post at the last session of Congress, and that the opposition of the Abo-

litionists of the North and the Disunionists of

the South prevented his election. Subsequently

Mr. Campbell was elected. Now is the time

to do full justice to Col. Forney, (when his party

s in full power, without the extraneous support either of abolitionism or disunionism,) by his election to the Clerkship of the next House of

Representatives. I trust that the Democratic

Mr. Forrest made his last appearance at the

Walnut street theatre, Philadelphia, last even-

ing. His engagement has been triumphantly

A SCRUPULOUS SHERIPF. - Bennett, convicted

of murder at the late term of the Ripley (Ind.)

circuit court, has been sentenced to be hung on

been unable to attend to his correspondence

We understand that the fever which confines

the isthmus, and is one that is fast yielding to

medical treatment; so that no fears need be

entertained of his convalescence. This state-

ment is made that his numerous friends may

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in height. The trees skirting the avenue are to

be removed to the northern line, and others, of

choice varieties, planted within the enclosure

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and thirty-two feet, and on Pennsylvania avenue

Mr. Downing, the rural architect, furnished the

An insane Irish girl leaped out of a third-

three hundred and fifty-two feet.

ing. Neither was much hurt.

plan for this improvement. - Republic,

for the performance of such duties.

ence of the court.

their letters .- Union.

PENNSYLVANIA

party will never forsake such a friend.

ined in Pennsylvania; to

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cerned.

alar both in and out of the yard, for his agre

was received here by the men connected

To the Editors of the American Telegraph.

Роктямочти, Ост. 23, 1851

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AMERICAN TELEGRAPH

Kossuth .- The Courrier des Etats-Unis says that after Kossuth had arrived on board the Mississippi, he received a despatch from the Turkish Government informing him that Austria had taken serious umbrage at his liberation, and suggesting that he should delay his departure until the difficulty should be arranged. The generous Hungarian was disposed to accede to this request, but the Captain of the Mississippi interposed, and declared that he would not suffer such a violation of American hospitality-that Kossuth, having stepped on board an American vessel, was upon American soil.

Kossuth is the son of a lawyer, and a small land owner in Zemplin, and was born in 1806. He is therefore now in his forty-fifth year. He was married in 1841. Previous to the Hungarian revolt he was distinguished for his eloquent advocacy of liberal principles, in the Hungarian Diet, but it was in the character of an editor that his influence was most exerted and deeply felt. He is said to have commenced his career as a reporter for the Hungarian Diet.

DIRECT TRADE OF THE SOUTH WITH EUROPE.-Hostility to the North may suggest this to some minds; but there is a better basis for the enterprise of the South. Self-preservation is a duty, and is by no means incompatible with the kindliest feelings toward our Northern fellow citizens. This it is that demands the measure.

Wednesday, the following: a circumstance which may well be regarded as an era in the commercial history of Charleston-that is, the arrival of the British ship Grasmere, Captain Vaile, from Calcutta, with 800 bales of gunny bagging for the house of Messrs. John Fraser & Co. This is the first direct communication with the East and this city that has taken place within the recollection of our oldest merchants; and with a tonnage which is rapidly increasing, and which would do credit to any port, we venture to say that the day is not far distant when our commerce with the East will be in no measure inferior to even that of Boston. Messrs. J. Fraser & Co. are likewise the importers of 1,980 bags of coffee, by the Hanoverian schooner Oste, which arrived yesterday from Rio de Janeiro—thus setting an example which is worthy of imita-tion, and for which they deserve the thanks of our citizens. Let the suggestions of our correspondent "G." be adopted, relative to the

Emporium of the South.' Reduction of Newspaper Postage. Congress. In an article in the New York Her-

"The complaint is universal that the recent act of Congress imposing new rates of postage on newspapers is burdensome and complicated, and that the construction of the law by the Post Office Department makes it peculiarly obnoxious. The newspaper press feels the burden in a peculiar manner; as the present rates, especially on

" From the information received from several members of Congress, I am certain that, at an early period of the next session, measures will be taken to remedy the evils of the present law, and that a rate simple uniform as be adopted. It is the intention of the Hon. Mr. Gwin, Senator from California, to offer a reso lution on the first day of the session, instructing the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads to report a bill reducing the rates of postage on newspapers. The people of California feel the oppressive effects of the present law in a peculiar manner; and, indeed, all the distant States which ought to be favored, if possible, complain of the intolerable burden of the present law. Besides this, the rates are so complicated that not one postmaster in ten can easily tell what postage should be charged on transient newspapers. Instead of one uniform rate, the present iw imposes at least seventy-two (72) rates or newspapers, according to weight, size, and dis-

world.

Go ahead, Mr. Bates, and the honor shall be vours!

purity!

ericksburg News of yesterday says:

"The 'Wm. Selden' arrived at our wharf or Wednesday afternoon, and will bereafter, we learn, perform her regular trips between this and Baltimore. We understand from those who have seen her that she is light but elegant, and trips through the water 'like a thing of life. Commodore Fairbanks (waggishly but familiarly known as old 'Diagram') is her commander. He is an 'old salt' whose skill is known to the traveller on the Rappahaunock. For more than half a century he has been fighting successfully the winds and the waves."

THE WILL OF THE LATE FRANCIS DODGE, O. Georgetown, was, a few days since, proved before Judge Pursell, of the Orphans' Court The executors were required to give a bond with security, in the penalty of five hundred thousand dollars, or twice the amount of the personal estate, which only it proposed to cover. [Republic.

able statesman and accomplished gentleman.

We observe in the Charleston Courier, of

"To-day we have the gratification of noticing deepening of our harbor, and the system of di-rect trade—export as well as import—systemati-cally pursued, and Charleston must become the

We are glad to see that Barnabas Bates is out again in the advocacy of the great postage reform so miserably botched at the last session of

ald he says:

transient papers, amount to a prohibition.

"It is my determination, if sustained by my friends, to devote myself to this cause, until w have as cheap postage as any other people, and our post-offices the best managed in the

The Washington Republic takes ground that he proposition for a German National Loan is cond Cuban bond speculation .- Phila. Sun.

An error: the Washington Republic takes no ground, but regards all as pirates who do. It would hardly approve of the Cubans' assuming a title to their own ground; and would vote our ancestors outlaws and pirates for taking that which belonged to the aborigines. It is a conscientious paper, is the Washington Republic, and the Sun should not cast a shadow upon its

A WASHINGTON BUILT STEAMER .- The Fred

They talk in Maryland of Senator Pearce as a candidate for the Vice Presidency. He is an

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GEN. WM. O. BUTLER.-This gallant son of Kentucky is often named in connexion with the Presidency; but the Maysville Post Boy says the Democratic party in that State are not fully satisfied with him, and quotes from the Hopkinsville Press the following:

"Various matters which we have heard ren-der it imperative that Gen. Butler's sentiments should be known before we can ever vote for him. It is requiring too much of a southern man, in these days of political apostacy, to ex-pect him to support a man whose principles he loathes and abhors, merely upon the old thread-bare and hackneyed cry of democracy."

The General will no doubt speak out with effect. He always does so at fitting times.

THE ASSASSINATION STORY .- There is no confirmation, by the Georgia, of the report that the Spanish officers engaged in the capture of Lopez have been assassinated at Havana.

OPENING A MOUND .- The workmen on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad opened an Indian mound on Saturday last, on the farm of B.

tle fought on the plains of Little York, in this McMeahen, esq. The Wheeling Gazette says: "The mound was about seventy feet in diam-State, during that dark and gloomy period in eter, and eleven feet high. Nearly on a level with the surrounding earth were found an altar of stone, evincing the action of the fire, west of the history of the revolution, the year 1781, and which had the result of terminating that long yet glorious struggle between the then colonies north of the altar the head and body of an Juand mother country, was celebrated in this dian extending west of north, at a slight decli-nation from the head to the feet. This body town on Monday, the 20th instant, with the usual display of our military, on the advent of was covered to the depth of a foot or more with ashes, in which the salt was still manifest to the taste, as we are told. The body was rethis, a day held in high veneration by the good people of the Old Dominion. Why is it that markably perfect, and was mostly preserved. Around this body were twelve others, with their this day, which is second to none in its results on the destiny of our beloved country, should heads centering toward it, and feet projecting. not be hailed as one that deserves a nation's No articles of art were found except a polished homage? and not suffer State pride alone to keep in remembrance that to which a grateful stone tube, about twelve inches in length."

THE ROTUNDO OF THE CAPITOL will, during the coming winter, be much better lighted than heretofore. Gas jets, ornamented, are to be placed near the paintings; and by this arrangenent the rotunda will be brilliantly illuminated.

COLORED DAGUERREOTYPES .- This important discovery appears to have been made simulta-neously in America by Mr. Hill, and in France by Mr. Niepce. Specimens have been exhibited here and there, but no clear explanation of the process has been made known in either country.

workmen, that are flattering to Mr. Hartt, and highly creditable to all the gentlemen con-THE POOR HAVE HAD ENOUGH OF IT .- While the city marshal was engaged in destroying a quantity of liquor that had been seized, some 525; Cooper, (W.) 298.

Legislature.—Wheeler, (D.) 556; Portlock, (D.) 542; Holladay, (W.) 311; Scott, (W.) 299.

Norfolk City.—Millson's (Dem.) majority 108.
Robinson (Whig) elected to the Legislature. one in the crowd inquired, "Why was not this sold for three hundred pence and given to the poor?" A voice at some distance replied, "The poor have had enough of it, let it go!"

[Bangor (Me.) paper.

EXTRACT FROM DICKENS .- " Confound that fat boy," said Wardle, "he's been fighting again, and has a black eye." "How did you get it?" benignantly inquired Mr. Pickwick. "Why, I was a pitching into a man, and some chap come up and held my head, and then the man punched it." "You say so, fat 'un," remarked Sam Weller, "but it was the man vot held your cocoa-nut in chancery that punched it, sonny. That vos the way, and vere vos the Police ?'

"Oh! thou invisible spirit of Wine, if we had no other name by which to call thee, we would call thee DEVIL." A tree is known by

On Sunday last two shocking murders occurred in Boston. A brute of a husband beat his wife to death; and a drunken wretch cut his sister's throat with a razor, and then mutilated her remains by tearing them to pieces.

[Rochester Times. REMOVAL OF THE MASSACRUSETTS SEAT OF GOVERNMENT.—The Boston Advertiser gives a history of the attempts to remove the Massamarking that the subject will probably be resumed this year, if the State Reform party succeed in controlling a majority of the Legislature.

Orange wine is a new curiosity introduced in the New Orleans market. It is made of the juice of the wild or sour orange, which abounds in almost every plantation in the State, but has hitherto been regarded as a useless product.

lermen of Boston, on Monday evening, granted the use of Fancuil Hall to the friends of Mr. Webster, to hold their convention, on the 6th NATURALIZED CITIZENS .- Over six hundred persons have taken their papers this month from the Common Pleas, and a large number

WEBSTER CONVENTION .- The Mayor and Al-

from the Superior Court, in New York. The Scotch and Irish landlords are crowding Canada with paupers, and one person alone had sent 1,100 from Scotland.

the first Friday in December. It is said the Sheriff will resign rather than execute the sen-The immense coal deposit in Iowa extends we hundred miles from the Des Moines river, In this, according to our way of thinking, and embraces twenty thousand square milesthe Sheriff is right; but he would have been so it is said.

righter had he never taken an office that called A letter in the St. Louis Republican states that the cholera is raging among some tribes of the Rocky Mountain Indians. At Fort Berthold SENATOR GWIN .- We regret to learn that this and Fort Clark it has been very fatal, gentleman has been so much indisposed since his arrival at New York, that his friends have

A business firm in Boston is loading a vessel been denied access to him. He has, of course, with ice and apples, for Alexandria, Egypt. She is to carry out an ice house also. him made its appearance on his route across The York (Pa.) Advocate has placed the name

of Henry Clay at its head as the Union candidate for President. W. W. MAGUIRE, senior editor of the Mobile Herald and Tribune, is a candidate for Mayor of

not ascribe to any neglect his failure to answer that city. On one of the Greek manuscripts pretended to have been recently discovered by Simonides, gaged in setting the coping stone at the triangular piece of ground between Thirteenth and has been discovered the Parisian water-mark. They are represented to have been as ancient Fourteenth streets, and Pennsylvania avenue

as the days of Homer. and E street north, on which is to be placed The wife who would properly discharge her duties should never have a soul "above buttons." Thus remarked "a Roman Counsellor

as he fastened on his dickey with a skewer. The Fire Annihilator is still figuring in the New York papers, the only place where its merits are at all exhibited. Like Payne's gas, it is talk and nothing else.

The Hon. Hamilton Fish, Senator elect from story window in Boston, on Tuesday evening, the State of New York, arrived in this city last and alighted on an Irish woman who was passevening, and took lodgings at Willard's Hotel.